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Some Man to be Surprised.

I was in Mue. Hsitt's great institution the other day, on Nineteenth street, when the wife of a rich brewer brought her two daughters in to be newly rigged with staves and corsets. "Don't get them corsets too tight," was her parting admonition, as she left them awhile. The eldest disrobed to show the new thing. She was a tall, slender girl with a nicely rounded waist and a good but not pretty arm, while she stood in her father's study; but when she undressed, y' God! her handsome myrtle green cloth was lined with silk. It was pulled a inches thick on the back. It was pulled a five inches thick over the breast. The upper part of the sleeve was slightly padded, but the under half had fully three inches of cotton. From this padded cell the lady escaped and I trembled lest some one should open a door and let in the high wind blowing outside. Every bone in the narrow little chest was visible as the bars of the grate. Two such broom-sticks as those poor arms I have seldom seen. I suppose she had a pair of drumsticks to match and a bold, brave woman she is to trust herself round on 'em. Madams produced the corset—a marvelous feat of white embroidery on blue satin. Behind the corset were padded in front at the top and at the bottom behind; so between Hsitt, the star maker, and Eversall, the dressmaker, Miss Mue's corset was turned out a "plump and pleasing person." But oh, my! there will be some in a narrow in the world by and by, and the record of the dwindled will be denied him. He can't go down to the Mayor's office and make the complaint; he will have to grin and bear it and pray that the cotton crop don't fail.—(New York Letter in St. Louis Republican.)

"Yes, my friend, you'll be surprised as he waved his arms around and growled in the face. "These railroads are the leeches of the land! They are sucking the life blood of industry! If elected to the Legislature, my first and last greatest effort shall be directed to putting the harness on the rampant racer of monopoly!"

He was elected last November. He started for Albany yesterday and a crowd of his constituents were at the depot to cheer him off.

"Yes, my friends, we will humble this monopoly," he said, from a rear platform; and then taking a seat in the car he got his railroad pass ready to show to the conductor.—(Wall Street News.)

If I went to hell and found that the devil had erected a monument to Robert E. Lee, I should take off my hat to him of the cloven hoof, and if he offered me brimstone I would drink luck to him and his family and my hopes that he would live long and prosper. To have seen the great Virginian was a liberal education; to have touched his hand was a benediction and an inspiration; to remember him with reverence is a patent of nobility. That these people do remember him with so sweet and holy a sentiment shows that in them the age of chivalry and the instincts of knight-hood still survive.—(Falcon in Lou. Times.)

A melo drama was being performed in a provincial city and the closing act was to witness the death of the heroine from poison administered by her lover. The end approached, when the lover said: "I have forgotten the vial." "Kill me with a pistol or a dagger," whispered the actress. "I have neither." "Kill me quickly, for the audience is impatient," she exclaimed. An inspiration seized him, and as she turned he gave her a kick. She faltered and fell, exclaiming: "I die by the hand of the poisoner." It was an effective climax.

A recent experiment on a small scale, as to which are the best for planting, whole or cut potatoes, resulted as follows: Twelve hills planted with one large potato in each yielded sixty pounds; twelve hills with two small whole potatoes forty-eight pounds, and twelve hills with two cut sets in each yielded seventy-two pounds. All were planted in hills three feet and received the same treatment.

A writer in a scientific journal ridicules the idea that apples sweat and that they must undergo a sweating process before they are put in barrels in order to keep well. He states that only injury comes from leaving apples in piles in an orchard, and that the moisture found on them comes from the atmosphere. He recommends packing them in barrels as soon as they are picked.

If you don't observe so many cats about the boarding house now you must bear in mind that the shooting season is at hand and rabbit pie is a seasonable article.—[Newark Call.]

FREE DISTRIBUTION.

"What causes the great rush at McRoberts & Staggs Drug Store?" The free distribution of sample bottles of Dr. Bosauko's Cough and Lung Syrup, the most popular remedy for Coughs, Colds, Consumption and Bronchitis now on the market. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00.

Popular Fallacies.

It would add many years to the average longevity of our species if we could free the next generation from the curse of the following fallacies, which are either direct sources of disease or add an unnecessary burden to domestic life. The idea that cold baths are healthy in winter and dangerous in midsummer; that rain water is more wholesome than "hard" water; that bedrooms must be heated in cold weather; that the misery of everlasting scrubbing and soap vapors is compensated by the comfort of the lucid intervals; that a sick-room must be kept hermetically closed; that it pays to save foul air on account of its warmth; that "draughts" are morbid agencies; that catarrhs are due to low temperature; that even in midsummer children must be sent to bed at sunset, when the air begins to grow pleasant; that an after-dinner nap can do any harm; that the sanitary condition of the atmosphere can be improved by the feter of carbolic acid; that there is any benefit in swallowing jugsful of mucous sulphur water; that rest after dinner can be shortened with impunity; that outdoor recreation is a waste of time; that athletic sports brutalize the character; that a normal being requires any other stimulation than exercise and fresh air; that any mechanical contrivances can compensate for manly strength; that any plan of study can justify the custom of stifling children in their sleep; that the torpor of narcosis is preferable to insomnia; that the suppression of harmless creations will fail to beget vice and hypervigilance; that stimulation is identical with invigoration; that fashion has a right to enforce the wearing of woolen clothes in the dog days.—[Lippincott's Magazine.]

A CANCER CURE.—A Washington correspondent to the Memphis *Appeal* writes that paper that some weeks ago a United States Consul at Pernambuco, S. A., sent to the State Department the exudation from a tree that grows in Paraguay which was said to cure cancer, as was stated by the Consul, with absolute certainty. Capt. Double, an old Mississippi river steamboatman, residing at 334 Missouri avenue in this city, having suffered long with a terrible cancer, was intrusted with the exudation from the South American tree. He applied the salve as directed, and after the elapse of three weeks is perfectly well. There is only a scar left on his face and nose. The Captain, full of gratitude to the God of nature and the South American Consul, says he wants to cure every cancer, without cost, that rages and destroys, among his old friends in the valley of the Mississippi. Surgeon General Hamilton says, the cure is the most extraordinary that ever occurred.

"There is more money in Bibles than in anything else," said Mr. J. R. Jones, of Philadelphia, one of the largest Bible printers in the United States. "There is a steady reliable trade for the good book, and I think I have made two millions of the different grades since I have been in the business. The prices range from ten cents for the kind given away by the Bible Society to the \$30 one bound in velvet and ivory. I have nearly ceased printing other books. As a general thing they don't pay. Unless you can get a work by a great author or a noted politician, the sale of any book does not reach beyond a small edition. I paid Alexander H. Stephens \$33,000 royalty on the 'War of the United States,' but only about \$6,000 for his 'History of the United States.'"

NEW USE FOR THE NEW ANESTHETIC.—Dr. Fieschel, of Vienna, declares that morphinism, alcoholism and similar habits can now be cured rapidly and painlessly by means of cocaine chloride. The method is very simple—a withdrawal, either gradual or abrupt and complete, of the habitual intoxicant, and treatment of the nervous and other symptoms which arise therefrom by means of hypodermic injections of cocaine. He claims that in ten days a cure may be effected in any case. The dose of cocaine chloride, hypodermically, is from one twelfth to one fourth of a grain, dissolved in water, repeated as necessary.

As I was walking home one evening last week from a theatre I was approached by a small beggar girl—a ragged little thing of nine or ten years. "Please mister, give me a dime." "What for?" "For my little brothers and sisters." This was said in the most plaintive of tones. "How many have you?" "There are seven of us, and mama is sick." "Seven! What on earth did she have have so many children for?" This query I meant to be a mental one, but the little thing thought I was asking her. "Because she is blind!" I gave the required dime.—[Advertiser.]

A genius has invented a cushion with a spiral spring, to be worn by skaters where it will do the most good. When a skater who wears one of these contrivances sits down unexpectedly and in italics, as it were, the spring throws him right on his feet again, before he is fully aware that there has been an accident.—[Norristown Herald.]

"Oh, yes, I seduced her," sneered Theodore Say, a beer wagon driver at Chicago, to Louis Bichus, a tancer. He referred to Bichus' daughter. The next instant Say was a corpse, with a bullet hole in his head and another in his heart. Bichus is under arrest.

Charlie's Bad Guesses.

Two young ladies were overheard talking glibly and confidentially on a suburban train. "Now, Mary," said one, "Tell me why Charlie and you quarreled." "Because he's a dinky; that's the reason. You know he's been coming to see me for two years, and I could see just as plain as anybody else that he was head over heels in love with me. But he didn't seem to have any snap to him, and I got real impatient, just as any girl would have done. A few nights before Christmas he called to see me, and before he went away I said: 'Charlie, I want to make you a Christmas present. It is something real nice, warm, useful and ornamental, and will always stay with you.' 'A scarf?' he said. 'No, not a scarf,' I said, 'though it might embrace you. It weighs about a hundred pounds, and I've heard you say you thought it very precious.' 'Oh, I know,' he said, 'a bicycle.' By this time I was nearly mad, but I made one more effort. 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For some time past a periodical item to the effect that John R. Wolf, the young man sent from Georgetown to the penitentiary for 10 years for forgery, was dying in that institution and we were beginning to believe that a studied attempt was being made thereby to prepare the public for a pardon, but we are glad to report that such was not the case, for Wolf has actually yielded up the ghost. The fate of this young man should be a terrible warning to those who may be tempted to get money dishonestly. He belonged to a good family, moved into the best society and had every prospect of making a worthy and respected man of himself, but women, wine and cards were too much for him and he forged checks to the amount of several thousand dollars. All that money and influence could avail were used to prevent his punishment, but he was convicted and sent to a felon's cell, where he concocted the prison revolt and carried it into effect last August. Several noted prisoners succeeded in escaping, but he fell terribly wounded and his death Saturday was the result of these wounds. We hope his death may not be without its good results.

The Mt. Sterling Sentinel Democrat decries that its citizens stood ready to sign a petition asking a commutation of Neal's punishment, as the Gazette stated, and in the course of a well timed article says: "We are not of the class that opposes capital punishment. We believe with the scripture that 'Whosoever sheddeth man's blood by man shall his blood be shed.' We believe that the land cannot be cleansed of the blood that is shed therein save by the blood of him that shed it." We believe that no man guilty of all three of the crimes, which are charged and proven upon Wm. Neal, ought to live. Nothing but the life of this man can satisfy the law or the demands of justice."

ANOTHER step towards cheaper postage is before the House and the bill will no doubt become a law. It is proposed to charge two cents an ounce for carrying first-class matter; that is to say letters and sealed parcels on which people now pay postage at the rate of two cents for each half ounce. On letters requiring a single postage stamp, there will, of course, be no reduction. Letters which now go for four cents will go for two; while on all heavier parcels belonging to this class of mail matter the postage will be reduced one-half. Newspaper publishers now pay two cents per pound for having their publications carried in the mails. This is to be reduced to one cent.

The jovial young ass of the Harrodsburg Democrat elevates his aural appendages, imagining that it gives him a wise look, and brags about a paragraph which French Tipton told him was ungrammatical. Otherwise he would never have known it. There is many a smart Aleck who is unconscious of the fact that he is a natural born d. f. and we are afraid our j. y. a. is similarly affected.

For many years under the heading of "Jottings on the Bloomfield Pike" the Nelson Record has published an entertaining column written by Mr. C. T. Denny, who showed much knowledge of public men and affairs. The last issue of that paper contains an announcement of his having become insane and after due investigation of his case had been ordered to the Anchorage Asylum.

It is understood that the holder of one of the best paying offices in this district is hugging the fond delusion to his breast that he will retain his office under the Civil Service law. But he will have to walk the plank and should be among the first to do so, as it is easily capable of proof that he has used his office with an eye single to partisan advancement.

THERE is a society in London which advocates the flogging of people who have more than three children. The trouble about it will be found in the fact that those who have more than three children are generally too poor to pay a fine and it would cost too much to punish such people by imprisonment.

The Rev. Howard A. M. & Co., Henderson lobs serenely up as a candidate for Chaplain of the next National House. This alphabetical wonder is about the largest humbug of his size in the business, but he'll hardly be able to humbug Congress into letting him pray for it, at so much a prayer.

It is said that Gov. Pattison, of Pennsylvania, will enter the ministry on the expiration of his term. With 80,000 majority against his party in the last election he very naturally comes to the conclusion that it is necessary that he should seek other means of making a livelihood than by politics.

The Louisville Commercial facetiously says: "Mr. Carlisle and Mr. Hendricks both testified to the fact that their intercourse with Mr. Cleveland was 'most pleasant.' This will be astounding to those who fully expected the conference to end in a rough-and-tumble fight."

THIRTY days from today the rascals will March 4th from their fat offices, which the people have said must hereafter be filled by honest democrats.

England is realizing that her lot is not a happy one. A people who go about the whole earth sticking their noses into every other people's business deserve to receive some bloody blows on the proboscis. —[Louisville Times.]

NOTES OF CURRENT EVENTS.

—Harry McEroy, a pioneer and wealthy citizen of \$5, died at Lebanon.

—The Indiana House of Representatives passed a bill prohibiting base-ball playing on Sunday.

—Lafayette Melton was hanged at Corning, Ark., for the murder of Franklin Hale, four years ago.

—By a collision on a South Wales railroad 49 persons were killed and a great many wounded.

—Five tramps perished of cold in empty houses about Paducah, Ky., during the recent Arctic weather.

—David Meriwether, the veteran hotel proprietor of Frankfort, died in that city Friday, aged 74 years.

—Over 60,000 residents of New York city live at hotels and there are 100,000 strangers in town every night.

—The Pennsylvania legislature refused to pass the bill to punish wife beating by inflicting corporal punishment.

—At a hog-killing in Clark county Rhodes Elkins was accidentally shot and killed by Jim Bates. Both were negroes.

—An explosion of natural gas at Pittsburgh, Pa., destroyed three buildings and injured 17 persons, seven of them fatally.

—A bill has been introduced into the Minnesota Senate requiring persons who drink in saloons to secure permits to do so.

—Senator Hill, of Colorado, charges that Teller was elected United States Senator by the free use of corporate money.

—Wm. Collins was shot and killed by Wm. Catron near Sardis, Mason county. Collins was too attentive to Catron's wife.

—Lawrenceburg is to have a new bank, with W. F. Bond president and J. M. Johnson cashier. It will not be a national institution.

—It is reported the court-martial has found Swaim guilty, with recommendation for his dismissal. There were but two votes in his favor.

—John Smith, while skating in Davies county, broke through the ice and was drowned after struggling for 45 minutes to reach the shore.

—It has been discovered that white women in San Francisco sell their illegitimate female offsprings to the Chinese, who train them for the harem.

—The total amount recommended by the House Committee to be expended on rivers and harbors is \$12,333,000, about one-third of the official estimate.

—Fifteen indictments have already been found against W. R. Smith, Clerk of the Auditor of Virginia, for embezzling State funds and the prospect is that a hundred will be returned.

—The Postoffice Appropriation Bill, as completed by the House Appropriation Committee, provides a total appropriation of \$52,253,200. Estimates, as prepared by the Postoffice Department, amounted to \$56,009,169. The appropriation for the current year amounted to \$19,040,400. The bill provides that postage shall be charged on first-class matter at the rate of 2 cents for each ounce and second class matter at the rate of one cent a pound.

—The widow of Stonewall Jackson has consented to allow his war horse, "Old Sorrel," to be taken to the New Orleans Exposition for the benefit of the Confederate Soldiers Home.

—Elijah M. Haines, Independent Democrat, was elected permanent speaker of the Illinois Assembly on the second ballot Friday, breaking the deadlock which has existed for three weeks.

—At Bowling Green L. S. Brough & Co. implement store and warehouse, O. E. Glenn's confectionary, the Park City Times office and Stephen & McLellan's grocery were burned causing a loss of \$30,000.

—Congressman James K. Jones has been elected Senator from Arkansas, after a long drawn out struggle. He was born in Mississippi in 1839, was a Confederate soldier and has served two terms in Congress.

—Conant, the managing editor of Harper's Weekly, has not been heard of since the 23d, when he left his office. The theory of his friends is that he has become temporarily insane and wandered among strangers.

—Presiding Elder B. F. Bates, of the A. M. E. church, Lawrence, Kan., is defending a bastardy suit. A 17-year-old mulatto girl is the prosecutor, and the parlors of the church at Lawrence the place where she locates the crime.

—It is estimated at the Treasury Department there will be a decrease of over \$5,000,000 in the public debt the present month. The receipts so far the present month amount to \$24,500,000 and the disbursements \$11,000,000.

—The fast passenger train on the Lake Shore railroad, when near Oak Harbor, Ohio, early Saturday morning, ran into a sleigh load of nine persons, instantly killing two of the occupants and mortally wounding three others.

—A California breeder of Angora goat has cleared \$40,000 in the last few years. This year his sales of mohair amount to over 15,000 pounds. Wherever sheep can be reared Angora goats will thrive. In many sections east of the mountains they can be made as profitable as in California.

—Capt. Marcus indignantly denies the charge that he offered any insult to the wife of the man who undertook to assassinate him. The man's manner of assaulting him certainly does not lead to the opinion that he had a good cause. Insults of the kind he charges are not generally resented in that way. —[Frankfort Yeoman.]

—The House Committee on claims have decided to report favorably the bill providing for refunding of the tax imposed by the Government on States and Territories as a war tax under the acts of Congress of August 5, 1861, and June 7, 1862, and releasing those States which yet owe tax. If it becomes a law Kentucky will get back \$713,695.

—The New Orleans Exposition is opened on Sundays and horse races are run the same as on other days.

—A Pittsburgh boy rolled down a steep hill 250 yards and then fell over a precipice 100 feet. His wrist was slightly injured.

—A small fire occurred in a Cincinnati drug store Saturday night. In extinguishing it water ruined \$45,000 worth of stock.

—The prisoners in the Lexington jail made an ineffectual attempt to escape Sunday. One of them, Joe May, was probably fatally shot.

—Mrs. Julia Pearl, a teacher in a Louisville school, was burned to death Friday. Her remains were brought to Harrodsburg for interment.

—The United States Court of Arkansas passed death sentence on five murderers Saturday. April 17 is the day set for the wholesale swinging.

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MT. VERNON DEPARTMENT.

Managed by Jno. B. Fish.

—S. H. Martin has sold his farm containing 250 acres to a Mr. Ward, of Ohio, for \$2,500.

—A Mr. Hogan has arranged to put up a saddlery shop at this place in about 2 weeks.

—The county jail has only two occupants at this time, and they are serving out short sentences for misdemeanors.

—John A. Proctor, Jr., has been sent to the Louisville Medical College for the purpose of having his skull trepanned.

—There was a very pleasant social gathering at M. J. Cook's Saturday evening. The party that went out from town came home on the 1 o'clock train.

—Our Sheriff, Mr. H. H. Baker, has settled in full with the Auditor of Public Accounts for all his dues for 1884. Considering the dull times and the scarcity of money this is doing remarkable well.

—F. H. Reppert, of Mt. Vernon, and Miss Sallie Oldham, of Montgomery county, were married in Mt. Sterling last Thursday and arrived at this place Friday. The newly married couple have the best wishes of their numerous friends.

—About fifteen or twenty of the best citizens of the Skagg's Creek country have been arrested, charged with kukluxing in tearing down the house of a woman, who is said to be a common prostitute. There is a good deal of feeling over the matter and there are good men on both sides.

—Some time ago the names of the officers of the Masonic Lodge were handed to us and we had forgotten to make a note of it until now. They are as follows: G. W. McClure, W. M., Willis Griffin, S. W., Jas. Mount, J. W., Jack Adams, Jr., Treasurer, D. N. Williams, Secretary. We hope the persons interested will excuse our negligence.

—R. S. Myers, J. K. McClary, S. L. Whitehead and James Hicks have gone to Florida. The first two on a visit and the latter to make their home. Mr. James R. Cook has gone to London to become a disciple of Blackstone under the tutelage of Hon. R. Boyd. Mrs. M. C. Bragg and J. J. Williams are in Stanford to day on a business visit. Miss Maggie Smith will return to Paint Lick to-day and will be accompanied by Miss Mattie Newcomb.

—Died, on the 29th, Mrs. Henderson Green, of brain fever.

—Postoffice on wheels. Mr. J. B. Arnold has undertaken to turn the house, lately purchased by Will Ward, so that it will front Main street. It is now used as the postoffice. Mr. Ward is fitting it up for a business house.

—The foxes made a raid on Uncle Alvah Pullins' lambs a few nights ago. He has employed some of the hunters to run them all out of the country, but they only run them close enough to give them a good appetite for another lamb.

—Mr. R. M. Argo says that since his house has been burned, carpenters have been a greater pest to him than the seven-year-itch, running after him for a job of work before he knows whether he will build at all or not. But he says if any good carpenter will agree to build him a brick house 18x30 and 12 feet high, covered with tin, for \$197.85, he can take the job.

To the Democratic County Committee. You are requested to meet at the office of the INTERIOR JOURNAL, Stanford, at 2 P. M. March county day to fix the manner and time for nominating a democratic candidate for the Legislature. A full meeting is desired. J. E. LYNN, Camm.

As there may be some doubt as to who are the members, their names are given below: J. E. Lynn, R. H. Brounough, T. D. Newland, J. M. Carter, A. J. Henry, J. J. Newland, E. S. Goen, Florence Yowell and W. P. Walton.

Card of Thanks. [To the Editor of the Interior Journal.] CLIFTON, TEX., Jan. 26.—Please allow me through the ARGON to thank my old Kentucky friends, who have so generously come to my relief, since the recent burning of my barn. Be assured, friends, your kindness is highly appreciated, and the tie of friendship and relation made stronger. May you never be so unfortunate as to suffer loss from fire, is the wish of one who loves you all well. Yours very truly, M. G. CASH.

Fully nine tenths of the sardines consumed in the United States come from Maine. They are nothing but small her rings packed in cotton seed oil in tin boxes with French labels. —[Boston Globe.]

TRY IT YOURSELF. The proof of the pudding is not in chewing the string, but in having an opportunity to try the article yourself. McRoberts & Stagg, the Druggists, have a free trial bottle of Dr. Bosanko's Cough and Lung Syrup for each and every one who is afflicted with Cough, Colds, Asthma, Consumption or any Lung Affection.

Are You Tired of Being Sick? We want to say a word to the men, women and girls who work in stores, offices and factories. There are hundreds of thousands of you in the country. Very few of you are well. You are shut up too much and exercise too little. In this way you get sick. Your blood is bad, your digestion poor, your head often aches, you don't feel like work. Your liver, stomach and kidneys are out of order. Parker's Tonic has cured hundreds of such cases. It is pure, sure and pleasant.

CURE FOR PILES. Piles are frequently preceded by a sense of weight in the back, loins and lower part of the abdomen, causing the patient to suppose he has some affection of the kidneys or neighboring organs. At times, symptoms of indigestion are present, as flatulency, uneasiness of the stomach, etc. A moisture, like perspiration, producing a very disagreeable itching after getting warm, is a very common attendant. Blood, bleeding and itching Piles yield at once to the application of Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy, which acts directly upon the parts affected, absorbing the Tumors, allaying the intense itching and affording a permanent cure. Price 50 cents. Address Dr. Bosanko Medicine Co., Piqua, Ohio. Sold by McRoberts & Stagg.

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Endless in variety, dainty in quality, and satisfactory in prices, this we guarantee. Our aim shall be at all times to supply every want in our line.

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All the delicacies in foreign and domestic confections are here. Tin, Stone, Wooden and Willowware, Electric lamps, Stationery, Canned Meats and Fruits, and a complete line of Cigars and Tobaccos. Well this is only a hint of what we have.

Believing that we can make it to your interest, we confidently ask an examination of our goods and your patronage, Respectfully, TAYLOR BROS.

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Hardware, Horse Shoes, Groceries, Saddles, Iron, Nails, Queensware, Buggy Whips, Buggy Wheels, Stoves, Cane Mills, Harness, Spokes, Grates, Cider Mills, Lap Covers, Rims, Stoneware, Corn Shellers, Collars,

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PERSONAL.

—Mr D. B. EDMISTON spent Sunday with his children at Kirksville.

—Miss RUTH DEPAUW, of the Willow Grove neighborhood, is the guest of Mrs. Joe E. Portman.

—Miss GEORGIA ELDRIDGE, the pretty vocal music teacher, at the College, is quite ill, we regret to say.

—Miss MAMIE WITHROW, a lovely little brunette from Lexington, is the guest of Miss Sabra Pennington.

—Mr. FRANK WAYMAN will leave this week for New Orleans where he expects to go into the newspaper business.

—THOSE pretty little East Enders Misses Annie Holmes and Jennie Kennedy have been visiting Mrs. Dr. J. G. Carpenter.

—CASHIER J. P. SANDIFER, of the Citizens National Bank of Lancaster, passed through Saturday en route to Louisville.

—Miss LUCY McATEE, who went to visit relatives in Virginia last summer, was married to Mr. H. Clark, of Lee county on the 20th.

—COL. H. A. SOMMERS, editor of the Elizabethtown News, came up with Mr. J. S. Grimes and spent Sunday with him at his father's.

—Misses DORA CLAUDE and Florence Shepperd, of Somerset, have been the guests of Mrs. S. M. Spoonamore, of the Bright neighborhood.

—THE new President of the Hustonville National Bank, Col. J. W. Weatherford, was here yesterday wearing his honors with becoming modesty.

—PHIL MATTINGLY and Bill Brady have bought Mr. F. G. Brady's recipe for making ink and have gone to Louisville to establish agencies for its sale.

—MR. R. BURNET, of Monticello, has rented Mr. D. W. Vanderveer's suburban property and moved his family to it. Mr. Burnet is a retired merchant, who has come to the Blue Grass region to enjoy the fruits of his toil.

—COL. J. P. EAGLE, who married Miss Mary K. Oldham, of this county, was elected to the Legislature of Arkansas, and on the assembling of that body, recently, was elected Speaker of the House. —[Richmond Register.

—COL. WM. DUKE, of Danville, who is an applicant for the office of Surveyor of Customs at Louisville, was here yesterday and received many additions to the long list of persons who wish him to see him appointed.

—JUDGE THOMAS W. VARNON, of Stanford, is in the city. He is a candidate for re-election as County Judge, without opposition which is as it should be. Judge Varnon is one of the gentlest and best men in the State, and Lincoln county is fortunate in having him for its Judge. —[Louisville Times.

—COL. A. G. TALBOT was here yesterday informing the people that he is a candidate for the State Senate in this district. His experience in legislative affairs and his excellent record in the last House make his presence in the higher branch peculiarly desirable now, when statesmen are so much needed.

LOCAL MATTERS.

FRESH oranges, bananas and apples at S. S. Myers'.

WANTED.—500 bushels of Irish potatoes. Bright & Curran.

A lot of extra good quality pine flooring for sale. W. P. Walton.

H. J. DARST offers for sale 12 building lots, 66x132 feet, between Stanford and Rowland, well located and accessible.

Those who know say that a young merchant and a pretty little damsel, both of this place, are to marry on the 11th.

EVERYBODY call and settle February 21, county court day. We owe money and positively can not wait any longer. Edmiston & Owsley.

PNEUMONIA is very prevalent in this vicinity, but not to the extent that it is at Point Barrow. We are told that Dr. L. B. Cook alone has 32 patients down with it there and in the vicinity.

OLD Probi can take a recess. The weather question is settled. The ground hog was out on time yesterday, but seeing his ugly shadow, went back into his hole and drew it in after him. Six weeks more of miserable winter. It is awful to contemplate.

COUNTY COURT was barren of items yesterday. There were but six entries on the minutes, two related to road surveys; licenses to keep tavern were granted to J. H. Stephens at Crab Orchard and Vanarsdale & Fennell at Stanford, Soc Owens was appointed guardian of Pierce and Owens Miller and Mrs. Catherine Magee of the Magee children.

FOR RENT.—Desirable store room in Stanford. W. P. Walton.

DIED at Highland yesterday, Mr. Silas Baugh, of dropsy, aged fifty five. He leaves a wife and five children.

THE pump house and engine at Livingston, on the Knoxville branch, were destroyed by fire Thursday night. The origin of the fire is unknown.

FOR SALE PRIVATELY.—Our residence on Main street in Stanford, 300 yards East of court-house. A desirable home in excellent neighborhood. Geo. Myers and wife.

"DARK DAYS," the thrillingly interesting serial which has been running in this paper since December, closes with this issue. We will begin another equally as good in a short time.

THE new firm of Allen & Allison have contracted to put a second story over the offices of Welch & Sandley and Judge J. M. Phillips and will commence work at once. Judge Phillips has sold the right to build over him to J. B. Paxton for \$250.

JUDGE THOMAS W. VARNON is announced in this issue as a candidate for the unexpired term of Judge Brown as County Judge, which office he now holds by the appointment of the County Court. The Judge's knowledge of law and long experience in public affairs peculiarly fit him for the office, which he has filled so well for the last six months, and we trust he will be given the remaining year of the term without opposition.

MR. LIBERTY GREEN, whose death is announced in the Hustonville letter held a policy of \$650 in the Equitable Life Insurance Company and was a member in good standing of the Knights of Honor, which insures his family \$2,000 more. Col. Weatherford tells us that the Knights of Honor have paid on deaths of members in that immediate vicinity \$14,000, or some \$8,000 more than the lodge has paid in dues and death assessments.

THE stockholders of the Creamery Company organized on Saturday night and adopted a charter. The directors elected are Col. W. G. Welch, Forester Reid, S. P. Stagg, John J. McRoberts and J. E. Bruce, who have elected J. E. Bruce, President, and John J. McRoberts, Secretary. Messrs. J. W. Alcorn, M. C. Sandley and P. M. McRoberts were appointed a Committee on By Laws. Letters were read from J. M. Brent & Co., denying that they had contracted with Lebanon not to build a creamery here and asking that the organization proceed.

THERE are already four new suits for divorce filed for the next Circuit Court and Clerk J. P. Bailey thinks the prospect is that the term will be taken up in the trial of such suits, as there are more to be brought and a number of old cases on hand. Of the four referred to, two husbands and two wives sue. W. M. Hubbard charges his wife Etta, with open adultery; W. M. Sewell says his wife has abandoned him; Mrs. Henry Walls can not live with her husband because he gets drunk and treats her so badly and Mrs. John Minix claims that her husband has abandoned her. Welch & Sandley, J. B. McFerran, T. P. Hill, Jr., and W. E. Varnon respectively represent the plaintiffs.

MARRIAGES.

—Rev. J. M. Bruce received a telegram from Rev. H. T. Daniels at Richmond Sunday night, telling him to come to that city yesterday without fail, and as Bro. Daniels had been contemplating matrimony, it is supposed that he desired Bro. Bruce to perform the ceremony. It can also be stated that another Baptist preacher is thinking of taking a step in the same direction at an early day, if Madam Rumor is authority sufficient to quote from.

RELIGIOUS.

—Dr. J. W. Cox will preach at Walnut Flat next Sunday at 11 A. M.

—Rev. A. S. Moffett will preach at Crab Orchard next Sunday and regularly thereafter on each second Sunday.

—Eld. Cline writes that owing to his recent fall he is unable to fill his appointment here this week but will come in April.

—It is estimated that at least 60,000 gallons of wine is yearly consumed in the churches in the United States for sacramental purposes.

—Rev. E. O. Guerant writes from Mobile, Ala., on the 21st: "Having a fine meeting in this city by the Gulf. Thirty seven additions to date." —[Mt. Sterling Sentinel-Democrat.

—It is telegraphed that Alice Benjamin, of Morris, O., aged county, N. Y., for twelve years a cripple with spinal disease, has been cured by prayer, and has completely recovered the use of her limbs.

—Rev. Chas. F. Reel, lately from Cairns, where he went as a missionary, preached an interesting discourse at the Methodist church Sunday morning and addressed the Women's Missionary Society in the afternoon.

—Among English-speaking people the Episcopalians are the most numerous. The Methodists come next and the Roman Catholics follow. The Episcopalians outnumber the latter by 5,000,000. —[N. Y. World.

—A great religious wave is sweeping over the villages of Berks county, Pa., and many hundreds have been converted. A sect known as the Moononite Brethren in Christ have organized in many small towns. They baptize by immersion.

—A most remarkable revival of religion is in progress at Gallipolis, O. To date nearly 1,000 conversions are reported. Many saloons are closed and all the inmates of two disreputable houses have joined the church. Business is largely suspended.

—Evangelists J. M. Evans and J. H. Hopper are conducting a glorious revival in Louisville. Over 20 had confessed at last reports.

—An enthusiastic Moody man says that when Moody went to labor at Boston a tabernacle seating 8,000 persons and costing \$30,000 was built, used only 90 days and torn down, and yet it was no waste of money. During the meeting one man was converted who gave \$100,000 to religious objects.

—Miss Mary J. McAfee writes from the Faith Cure Home at Louisville that some wonderful works of the Lord are being done there. Souls are converted, Christians receiving Christ in their sanctification, diseases healed, deaf ears opened and impaired eyes restored. Miss McAfee will be remembered as the young lady who was so miraculously healed during the Faith Cure regime here, having been made able to "take up her bed and walk" after seven years of confinement. It seems however that of late she had lost her faith in a degree and in consequence was suffering terribly from a disease in the head. The good brother in charge at the Home aided her in getting her faith back to the sticking point and at the proper time the pain vanished like the dews of the morning. This and much more she writes of the glorious results being made manifest at the Home and wishes all who seek a blessing and restoration to health to visit it.

LAND, STOCK AND CROP.

—Thomas Robinson sold to Hudson & Co., of Boyle, a good pair of mare mules at \$275.

—J. A. Harris & Sons, sold to D. C. Terhune, of Harrodsburg, 10 yearling mules at \$85.

—Jo. H. Wilkerson bought 26 head of cattle, averaging 1,350 pounds at 4 1/2 cents per pound. —[Mt. Sterling Sentinel.

—There are 650 creameries in Iowa; 470 creameries in Illinois; 430 creameries in Wisconsin; 139 creameries in Minnesota.

—Ben Robinson bought of Elder Montgomery a pair of oxen, weight 2,276 lbs., at 4 cents and a pair from another party at same price.

—S. H. Hill sold at auction for Jenkins & Wilson, 23 head of mules that would average about 15 hands at \$114.75. Jenkins & Wilson received of various parties at Franklin 26 head of mules, 15 hands high, and from 4 to 7 years old, at \$115 a head. —[Bowling Green Gazette.

—The creamery at Taylorsville has been leased to John T. Davis for a year. Mr. Norman, who furnishes cream for it, reports the sale, during December, from three cows, cream to the amount of \$20.24, besides supplying her large family with all the butter needed for home use.

—Common hogs sold in Louisville last week at \$5.25 to \$5.50; medium \$5.75 to \$6.50; common to best leaf \$6.25 to \$14; fancy leaf \$12 to \$16. Burley ranges from \$2 to \$4 per cwt. higher than other grades. At the Pickett warehouse 2 hogheads Lincoln county leaf sold at \$5.30 to \$8.10.

—The Richmond Register reports the sale of Judge Breck's property as follows: "Corn at \$2.30 in the crib; 10 work mules, \$135 @ \$12; 100 hogs, \$4.05 per hundred; horses, \$75 @ \$135." The same paper also reports the sale of 23 two-year-old mules by John Park to C. J. Walker for \$3,300 and 2 aged mules at \$215.

—Yesterday was a beautiful day and a large crowd took advantage of it and came to court. Not a great deal of business was done, however. Capt. H. T. Bush reports 150 cattle on the market, of common quality and sold readily at 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 cents. One bunch of 13 butcher cattle sold at \$34.10. Aged mules sold at \$80 to \$125, with not many buyers. Plug horses dull at \$50 to \$80.

—The Bardstown Creamery is expected to begin operation in two months. It will buy all the cream it can get from the farmers, but in order to provide against any emergency the managers have secured a hundred good cows of their own, so that a falling off in the supply of cream from the farmers, as was experienced recently in Scott county, may not lead to periodical suspensions of work.

—Mr. J. J. Bloomer, of Grand View, Texas, in renewing his subscription, writes that the INTERIOR JOURNAL comes as a welcome messenger from his old Kentucky home, which he would not do without. He adds: "We are having one of the severest winters that Texas has ever seen. There has not been three warm days in seven weeks. Thousands of head of stock have died and thousands more will follow soon. Nothing done towards farming yet."

CRAB ORCHARD, LINCOLN COUNTY.

—Everybody here filled his ice house with that summer luxury and are happy; so are many others, as an ice-cold lemonade (dashed) will be cheap in its season.

—The following citizens are on the sick list and several in a critical condition: Jacob Guet, Jacob Higgins, J. F. Carson, W. M. Gurnett, A. W. Dillion, Whit Montgomery and A. F. Smith.

—Col. W. G. Welch, as receiver, closed the store of W. M. Howard, last week. We understand the sale to Mr. Green will be as naught and that as soon as an order of court can be obtained the goods will be disposed of to the highest bidder.

—The enterprising merchant of Paint Lick and also proprietor of Dripping Springs, Col. Daniel Slaughter, took the train here last Saturday for the East and will in a few days have such a stock of goods at those places that will surprise the natives. Our old friend and fellow citizen, J. L. Slavin, has returned to the fold and will in a short time open a grocery store in the Buchanan building on Stanford st., when you may look out for his advertisement in the INTERIOR JOURNAL.

—Jesse C. Fox bought of Robt. Land 16 head of 4 and 5-year old steers averaging 1,050, at 4 cents and 4 late calves of D. K. Farris at \$10 each. K. H. Bronaugh bought calves as follows: Of W. P. White, 2 at \$32.50; 1 of Tom Pennington at \$19; 2 of H. G. Foley at \$16 each, and one of J. Q. Adams at \$10. J. C. Fox bought of J. H. Hutchings the slop from his distillery from Feb. 1st to May 20th at \$70. per month. B. G. Gover has been in the neighborhood for several days buying mules and cattle, but we were not fortunate enough to learn prices paid.

—No one should forget that next Wednesday night, Feb. 4th, our Dramatic Club will reproduce the popular little drama "Better than Gold" and the purpose for which the proceeds are given should cause every one to purchase a ticket, whether he attends or not, namely, purchasing chairs for College Hall. There will also be a Minstrel Concert as an afterpiece, free of charge, that is well worth the price of admission. We hope our neighboring towns will not forget the 4th.

—We are truly glad to report that our beligerent friends of Cedar Creek neighborhood, (the Baileys and Manuels), have buried the bloody hatchet and are now friends; and in this connection, in justice to our home officers, I must make a correction, that was in your paper in regard to the arrest of the parties. You said that Sheriff Menefee came up and arrested all the parties, &c. Sheriff Menefee was here at the time the writ was sworn out, being present, and high sheriff of the county, the writ was placed in his hands. His efficient deputy, O. S. Newland, or Marshal Saunders, caught, and would have made the arrests, if they had been commanded, and did assist in the arrest, although no assistance was needed, as all parties were perfectly willing to have a fair and impartial trial, "which we believe they got." [Not the slightest injustice was intended towards those excellent officers. E.]

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all Throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellow-men. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. Noves, 119 Powers Block, Rochester, N. Y.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

JUDGE THOS. W. VARNON

Is a candidate to fill out the unexpired term of Judge E. W. Brown, dec'd., as County Judge of Lincoln, subject to the action of the Democracy. Section August, 1885.

Notice!

All persons having claims against the estate of Walter W. Hawley, Jr., are notified to present them, properly proven, for settlement, and those knowing themselves indebted to same estate are earnestly requested to settle within the next thirty days. GEO. D. HOPPER, Ext.

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Louisville	8:30 a.m.	Louisville	8:30 a.m.	Louisville	8:30 a.m.	Louisville	8:30 a.m.
Cincinnati	10:10 a.m.	Cincinnati	10:10 a.m.	Cincinnati	10:10 a.m.	Cincinnati	10:10 a.m.
Lexington	12:15 p.m.	Lexington	12:15 p.m.	Lexington	12:15 p.m.	Lexington	12:15 p.m.
Paris	2:30 p.m.	Paris	2:30 p.m.	Paris	2:30 p.m.	Paris	2:30 p.m.
Winchester	4:45 p.m.	Winchester	4:45 p.m.	Winchester	4:45 p.m.	Winchester	4:45 p.m.
Richmond	7:00 p.m.	Richmond	7:00 p.m.	Richmond	7:00 p.m.	Richmond	7:00 p.m.
Dayton	9:15 p.m.	Dayton	9:15 p.m.	Dayton	9:15 p.m.	Dayton	9:15 p.m.
Columbus	11:30 p.m.	Columbus	11:30 p.m.	Columbus	11:30 p.m.	Columbus	11:30 p.m.
Indianapolis	1:45 a.m.	Indianapolis	1:45 a.m.	Indianapolis	1:45 a.m.	Indianapolis	1:45 a.m.
Chicago	4:00 a.m.	Chicago	4:00 a.m.	Chicago	4:00 a.m.	Chicago	4:00 a.m.
St. Louis	6:15 a.m.	St. Louis	6:15 a.m.	St. Louis	6:15 a.m.	St. Louis	6:15 a.m.
St. Paul	8:30 a.m.	St. Paul	8:30 a.m.	St. Paul	8:30 a.m.	St. Paul	8:30 a.m.
Minneapolis	10:45 a.m.	Minneapolis	10:45 a.m.	Minneapolis	10:45 a.m.	Minneapolis	10:45 a.m.
Portland	1:00 p.m.	Portland	1:00 p.m.	Portland	1:00 p.m.	Portland	1:00 p.m.
Seattle	3:15 p.m.	Seattle	3:15 p.m.	Seattle	3:15 p.m.	Seattle	3:15 p.m.
Vancouver	5:30 p.m.	Vancouver	5:30 p.m.	Vancouver	5:30 p.m.	Vancouver	5:30 p.m.
San Francisco	7:45 p.m.	San Francisco	7:45 p.m.	San Francisco	7:45 p.m.	San Francisco	7:45 p.m.
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San Francisco	4:45 a.m.	San Francisco	4:45 a.m.	San Francisco	4:45 a.m.	San Francisco	4:45 a.m.
Los Angeles	7:00 a.m.	Los Angeles	7:00 a.m.	Los Angeles	7:00 a.m.	Los Angeles	7:00 a.m.
San Diego	9:15 a.m.	San Diego	9:15 a.m.	San Diego	9:15 a.m.	San Diego	9:15 a.m.
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